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SCOTT CHAMBERLAIN CONVICTED BY JURY OF ATTEMPTED ROBBERY OF MONEY OF THE UNITED STATES AND GRAND LARCENY

United States Attorney Anthony J. Jenkins announced today that a federal jury convicted SCOTT CHAMBERLAIN, age 57, of attempted robbery of money of the United States, in violation of the United States Code, and grand larceny in violation of the Virgin Islands Code. The charged offenses arose out of the attempted robbery of United States currency in the custody of the Alvaro de Lugo Post Office and the grand larceny of an Omega watch from Jewels, a local retail jewelry store. Both incidents occurred on November 30, 2004 on St. Thomas.

The maximum statutory penalty for the attempted robbery of the post office is not more than 10 years imprisonment and a \$250,000 fine. The maximum statutory penalty for the grand larceny of Jewels is not more than 10 years imprisonment.

U. S. Attorney Jenkins thanked the U.S. Postal Inspection Service and the Virgin Islands Police Department for the successful investigation of this case.